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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Bekele et al	Group Art Unit:	1761
Serial No.:	09/933,291	Examiner:	Madsen, Robert A.
Filing Date:	August 20, 2001	Docket No.:	D-43502-01
Title:	Case-Ready Package Having Absorbent Pad		

NOTICE OF APPEAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.191

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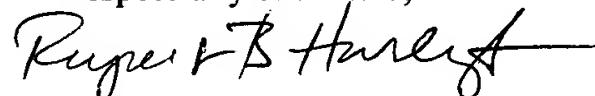
Sir:

In response to the Office Action Mailed May 10, 2004, Applicants, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.191, hereby appeals the rejection of Claims 1, 5-10, and 13 to 24. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the 37 CFR 1.17(e) fee of \$330.00 to Deposit Account No. 07-1765. If any further amount is deemed to be due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 07-1765 in the appropriate amount.

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